# WKXW 2nd Quarter 2015 ISSUES AND PROGRAMMING REPORTS

## Attached is the 2nd Quarter Issues/Programming Reports

- 1. During the 2nd Quarter of 2015 WKXW-FM has sought to identify the issues and problems that concern our listeners through contacts with various community leaders, through our on-the-air talk programs and our news reports.
- 2. Many issues have addressed the concerns of New Jersey Communities. These issues include economic situations, elections, state and local legislation. These are just some of the community concerns addressed through our call-in programs and newscasts.
- 3. WKXW-FM continues to inform the community through its talk formats addressing New Jersey concerns. We have interviewed State Officials on the telephone to answer questions from our listeners on legislation and other issues that impact life in the Garden State. We have used the station as a sounding board for people of the state to voice their opinions on government, law enforcement and crime, public health, New Jersey taxes, education reform and transportation concerns, just to name a few.
- 4. We also aired monthly programs with New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie. Titled "Ask the Governor," the show gives New Jersey residents a chance to voice their concerns to Gov. Christie on a monthly basis. During the 2nd quarter, we also held a town hall series on the PARCC tests controversy, a follow-up to the town hall we held on the subject during the 1st quarter.

Issue	Show	Title	Date	Station	Summary	Guests
Community Concerns, Law Enforcement, Money, Travel	Doyle & Joe V.	Distracted Driving Tickets	4/2/15	WKXW-FM	Should NJ Police officers issue more distracted driving tickets?	Bob – Toms River, Michelle – Pemberton, Mike – Brick, Ryan – Mount Laurel, Mike – Somerville
Law Enforcement, Crime, Government	Steve Trevelise	Senator Menendez Corruption	4/2/15	WKXW-FM	Do you think Senator Menendez is corrupt?	Maria – East Brunswick, Jonathan – Madison, Sean – Bernardsville, Sandy – Brick, Jimmy – Hightstown
Community Concerns, Education, Personal Interest	Dennis & Judi	Corporal Punishment in Schools	4/3/15	WKXW-FM	Should Corporal Punishment be allowed in schools	Warren – Toms River, Janice – Pennsylvania, Harry – Jamesburg, Peter – Toms River, Richard – Hillsborough
Community Concerns, Safety, Health, Personal Experience	Doyle & Joe V.	New Jersey Heroin Epidemic	4/6/15	WKXW-FM	What is your experience with the New Jersey Heroin Epidemic?	Teddy – Belmar, Olivia – Cinnaminson, Laura – Seaside Heights, Jay – Hightstown, Lee – Trenton
Community Concerns, Law, Safety, Personal Interest	Deminski & Doyle	Lowering the Drinking Age	4/7/15	WKXW-FM	After Rutgers banned Fraternity and Sorority parties due to underage drinking, do you think the drinking age should be lowered to 18?	Mike – Monroe, Mary – Old Bridge, Jim – Lake Hopatcong,
Community Concerns, Taxes, Money, Education	Dennis & Judi	Taxpayers Funding Extracurricular Activities	4/8/15	WKXW-FM	Should money for extracurricular activities come from NJ taxpayers?	Mark – Monroe Twp., Betty – Bucks County, Sandy – Long Valley, David – Edison
Community Concerns, Government, Money, Taxes, Travel	Jim Gearhart	Governor Christie Traveling Expenses	4/13/15	WKXW-FM	Should NJ taxpayers be responsible for Gov. Christie's out-of-state security?	Doug – Magnolia, Dave – Haddonfield, Marcia – Hackensack

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Community Concerns, Travel, Health, Safety, Personal Interest	Deminski & Doyle	Banning Smoking on NJ Beaches	4/14/15	WKXW-FM	Should smoking be banned on all New Jersey beaches?	Mark – South Jersey, Donna – Hopewell, Dean – Morristown, Ryan – Somerville, Kathy – Hamilton, Kelly – Bridgewater
Community Concerns, Safety, Crime	Jim Gearhart	Joanne Chesimard – Convicted NJ Cop Killer	4/17/15	WKXW-FM	Should Joanne Chesimard be returned to New Jersey from Cuba?	Harold – Manahawkin, Norm – Manville, Melissa – Manville, Joe – Brick, Dave – Beachwood, George – South Brunswick
Government, Personal Interest	Deminski & Doyle	Governor Chris Christie's Approval	4/20/15	WKXW-FM	If you're one of the many who turned against Governor Christie, when did it happen, and why?	Joe – Central Jersey, Dennis – South Jersey, Sharon – Marlton, Matt – Tewksbury, Brian – Bordentown, Eric – Bridgewater
Health, Law, Safety, Personal Interest	Steve Trevelise	Under 21 Tobacco Ban in Princeton	4/21/15	WKXW-FM	Do you agree with Princeton banning tobacco sales to customers under 21?	Fran – Washington Twp., Greg – Bethlehem PA, Shari – Freehold, Veronica – Edison, John – Manalapan
Money, Travel, Personal Interest	Deminski & Doyle	Gas Tax	4/21/15	WKXW-FM	A poll says half of New Jerseyans support a gas tax? What do you think?	John – Ewing, Beth – Howell, Steve – Bud Lake, Peter – Hunterdon County, Carl – Clark, Doug – Flemington
Law Enforcement, Travel, Community Concerns	Deminski & Doyle	Drivers License for Illegal Immigrants	4/23/15	WKXW-FM	Should Illegal Immigrants have drivers licenses?	Iris – Old Bridge, Alan – Manalapan, Beth – Flemington, Barry – Monmouth County,
Personal Interest, Government, Safety, Community Concerns, Law Enforcement	Ask the Governor with Eric Scott**	Ask the Governor	4/28/15	WKXW-FM	Callers asked questions to be answered by Governor Chris Christie	Lewis – Sayreville, Bryan – Manahawkin, Lisa – Toms River, Jeff- Monroe, Erin - Flemington

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Law Enforcement, Safety, Government, Military	Steve Trevelise	New Jersey Sending Help to Baltimore	4/28/15	WKXW-FM	Was it right for New Jersey to send help to Baltimore during their riots?	Meghan – Maplewood, Scott – Wall, Tom – Middletown, Pam – Lawrenceville,
Law Enforcement, Safety	Jim Gearhart	Baltimore Riots	4/29/15	WKXW-FM	How can New Jersey avoid riots similar to the ones in Baltimore, and if they do start, how can we be prepared for them?	Chris – Marlboro, Bill – Mount Holly, Teddy – Matawan, Howard – Marlboro, Al – Hamilton, Doug – Flemington
Education, Government, Community Concerns, Personal Interest, Personal Experience	Dennis and Judi	The PARCC Test	4/30/15	WKXW-FM	How do you feel about the PARCC test?	Sharon – Ocean Twp., Ruth – Freehold, Stacey – West Orange, Mike – Brick, Jane – Shrewsbury, Joe- Barnegat,
Government, Crime, Personal Interest	Jim Gearhart	Bridgegate Indictments	5/4/15	WKXW-FM	Do you think the new Bridgegate Indictments will hurt Governor Christie?	Eric – Harding, Barbara – Trenton, Peter – Middlesex, Joe - Freehold
Personal Interest, Education, Community Concerns	Town Hall with Eric Scott and Panel of Experts**	PARCC Exam Follow Up	5/5/15	WKXW-FM	Has your opinion about the PARCC Exam changed?	Guests included NJEA President Wendell Steinhauer and a representative from PARCC
Community Concerns, Personal Interest, Personal Experience	Dennis and Judi	Pumping Gas in New Jersey	5/8/15	WKXW-FM	Is it time for New Jerseyans to be allowed to pump their own gas?	Mike – West Windsor, Peter – Ewing, Sabrina – Trenton, Lauren – Lebanon
Money, Government, Personal Interest	Jim Gearhart	New Jersey's Pension Problem	5/11/15	WKXW-FM	What can be done to solve New Jersey's pension problem?	Diana – Old Bridge, John – Rockaway, Paul – New Brunswick, Robert - Middlesex

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Community Concerns, Travel, Safety, Media	Dennis and Judi	Amtrak Crash and the Media	5/13/15	WKXW-FM	What's your reaction to the Amtrak crash media coverage? Why do you use the train?	William, Pennsylvania, Ann – West Deptford, Rob – Bridgewater, Gary – Edison
Family, Travel, Law, Personal Experience, Safety	Deminski and Doyle	New NJ Carseat Laws	5/15/15	WKXW-FM	Should children sit in a rear facing car seat until they turn 2?	Nancy – Old Bridge, Jenna – Pennsylvania, Kim – Princeton, Susan – Piscataway
Travel, Money, Personal Interest, Law	Jim Gearhart	Self Serve Gas in New Jersey	5/19/15	WKXW-FM	Have you changed your mind about self serve gas in NJ?	Al – Brick, Mike – Princeton, Phil – Flemington, Karl – Jackson
Travel, Money, Personal Interest, Personal Experience	Steve Trevelise	Regulating Uber Car Service in New Jersey	5/20/15	WKXW-FM	Should Uber car service be regulated?	Anthony – Somerset, Ed- Florham Park, Jim – Bridgewater, James – Lakewood
Personal Experience, Personal Interest	Steve Trevelise	Dogs on New Jersey Beaches	5/21/15	WKXW-FM	Should all New Jersey beaches be pet friendly?	Matt – Manasquan, John – Flemington, Avi – Springfield, Joe – Hazlet, Chris – Avenel
Personal Interest, Law, Community Concerns	Deminski and Doyle	ID Cards for Illegal Immigrants	5/21/15	WKXW-FM	Newark is giving ID Cards to Illegal Immigrants – is this the right thing to do?	Kevin – Holmdel, Bella – Flemington, Kevin – East Windsor, John – Red Bank, Paul – Monmouth Jct., John - Manchester

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Law, Community Concerns, Personal Experience	Dennis and Judi	Sexual Assault by Deception	5/26/15	WKXW-FM	Should there be a law that prohibits 'Sexual assault by deception?'	Linda – Long Branch, Mindy – Toms River, Steve – Tenafly, Mary – Hunterdon County
Personal Interest, Money, Community Concerns	Jim Gearhart	Gambling Outside of Atlantic City	5/27/15	WKXW-FM	Do you think New Jersey could tolerate another Casino?	Ralph – Hamilton, Sam – Secaucus, Robert – Wall Twp., Joe - Branchburg
Personal Interest, Government, Safety, Community Concerns, Law Enforcement	Ask the Governor with Eric Scott**	Ask the Governor	5/27/15	WKXW-FM	Callers asked questions to be answered by Governor Chris Christie	Phil – Columbus, Pam – Burlington, Greg – Freehold, Bill – Long Valley
Law Enforcement, Community Concerns, Personal Interest	Jim Gearhart	New Jersey Dog Bite Bill	6/1/15	WKXW-FM	Do you agree with stricter fencing laws for owners of large breed dogs in NJ?	Randy – Freehold, Steve – Cherry Hill, Joe – Howell, Doug – Millstone
Health, Safety, Law, Personal Experience	Deminski and Doyle	Banning Smoking with Kids in the Car	6/2/15	WKXW-FM	Should it be illegal for parents to smoke with children in the car?	Sean – Hamilton, Nancy – Pennsylvania, Kyle – Bayonne, Jim – Hunterdon County
Safety, Law, Personal Experience	Dennis and Judi	Leaving Kids at Home Alone	6/4/15	WKXW-FM	What is the proper age to leave kids at home alone?	Cheryl – Lawrenceville, Diana – Point Pleasant, Mystique – Somerset, Lisa – Philipsburg

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Law, Personal Interest, Community Concerns	Deminski and Doyle	New Jersey Gun Laws	6/9/15	WKXW-FM	Do you think NJ gun laws are too strict? Should New Jerseyans be allowed to carry?	Julie – Sayreville, Mike – Pennsylvania, Tony – Brick, Shannon – Marlton, Chuck – Atco
Government, Personal Interest	Jim Gearhart	Governor Christie's Performance	6/10/15	WKXW-FM	Do you think Governor Christie has failed?	Tricia – Toms River, Mike – Runnemeade, Bill – Toms River, John – Mount Laurel, Mike – Berlin
Government, Family, Safety	Dennis and Judi	Taking Children Away	6/11/15	WKXW-FM	Do authorities have the right to remove children from a household?	Linda – Spring Lake, Mark – Rahway, Stan – Pennington, Michael Monmouth, Barbara – Hainesport
Government, Politics, Personal Interest	Jim Gearhart	GOP Presidential Candidates	6/17/15	WKXW-FM	What do you think about the number of Republican Candidates running for President?	Greg – Old Bridge, Tom – Eatontown, Patty – Freehold, Stan – Howell
Government, Politics, Culture, Media, Personal Interest	Dennis and Judi	Donald Trump Running for President	6/18/15	WKXW-FM	Do you think Donald Trump has a shot at winning the Presidential Election?	Joyce - Pennsylvania, Betty – Sayreville, AI – Hamilton, Jenna – Somerset
Personal Interest, Government, Community Concerns	Bill Spadea	Protest on Senator Steve Sweeney's Lawn	6/19/15	WKXW-FM	Did NJ residents overstep boundaries by protesting on Senator Steve Sweeney's Lawn?	Bob – Lake Hopatcong, Charlie – Manchester, Bob – Millstone, Fred – Dayton, John – Milford, Phil – Trenton

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Personal Interest, Safety, Law	Jim Gearhart	Responding to Gun Applications	6/23/15	WKXW-FM	Should Police have to give a verdict on gun applications within 30 days like the law says?	Mike – Point Pleasant, Michael – Hammonton, John – Bayonne, Jose – Perth Amboy
Personal Interest, Government, Safety, Community Concerns, Law Enforcement	Jim Gearhart	Questions for Ask the Governor	6/25/15	WKXW-FM	Callers phoned in questions to be given to Governor Chris Christie	Debbie – Cranbury, Jerry – Bloomfield, Barry – Toms River, Norm – East Windsor
Personal Interest, Government, Safety, Community Concerns, Law Enforcement	Ask the Governor with Eric Scott**	Ask the Governor	6/25/15	WKXW-FM	Callers asked questions to be answered by Governor Chris Christie	Eric – Lambertville, Michelle – Burlington County, Danielle – Ocean County, Rebecca – Washington
Personal Interest, Government, Law	Deminski and Doyle	Legalization of Gay Marriage	6/26/15	WKXW-FM	What are your thoughts of the decision to legalize Gay Marriage?	Tom – Howell, Rob – Hillsborough, Mike – Morristown, John – Cedar Grove, Joe - Allentown
Personal Interest, Personal Experience, Safety, Travel	Dennis and Judi	Portuguese Man of War on New Jersey Beach	6/29/15	WKXW-FM	What are your thoughts on the Portuguese Man of War sighting on an NJ Beach? Are you scared to go to the beach now?	Adam – Trenton, Keith – Neptune, Florence – Moorestown, Phil - Clinton
Personal Interest, Government, Politics	Dennis and Judi	Christie Running for President	6/30/15	WKXW-FM	What are Governor Christie's chances at winning the Presidential Election?	John – Medford, Paul – Morris County, Donald – Freehold, Joe – Hopatcong, Nick – Perth Amboy

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Personal Interest, Law, Personal Experience, Community Concerns	Deminski and Doyle	Residence of Fire Fighters and Police Officers	6/30/15	WKXW-FM	Should it be mandatory for Fire Fighters and Police Officers to live in the town they work in?	Barbara – Princeton, Virginia – Eatontown, Annette – Howell, Pete – Pennsylvania , PBA President Patrick Colligan

#### **Airtimes for Programs:**

- Jim Gearhart program airs from 6 a.m. until 10 a.m.
- Dennis & Judi program airs from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.
- Deminski & Doyle program airs from 2 p.m. until 7 p.m.
- Steve Trevelise program airs from 7 p.m. until 11 p.m.
- Ask the Governor program airs from 7 p.m. until 8 p.m.
- Town Hall Series program airs from 7 p.m. until 8 p.m.

#### Airtimes for Fill-In Hosts:

- Doyle & Joe V. program airs from 2 p.m. until 7 p.m.
- Bill Spadea program airs from 6 a.m. until 10 a.m.

### **Type of Programs:**

- All programs mentioned in the issues and programming reports are call-in shows.
- \*\*These shows are considered a combination of news interviews and call-in shows.